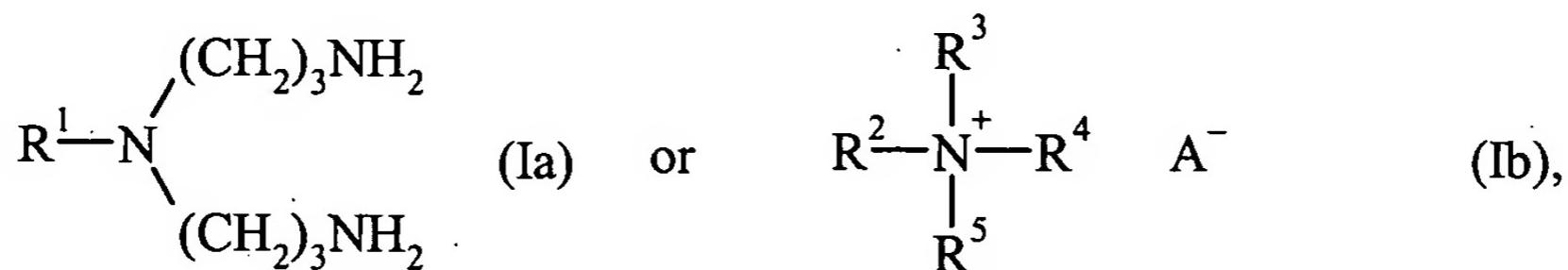


## Abstract of the Disclosure

Process for utilizing the disinfectant composition as a virucidal agent. The disinfectant composition includes:

- (a) an amine and/or quaternary ammonium salt of the general formula:



where  $\text{R}^1$  is  $\text{C}_{6-18}$ -alkyl,

$\text{R}^2$  is benzyl or  $\text{C}_{6-18}$ -alkyl,

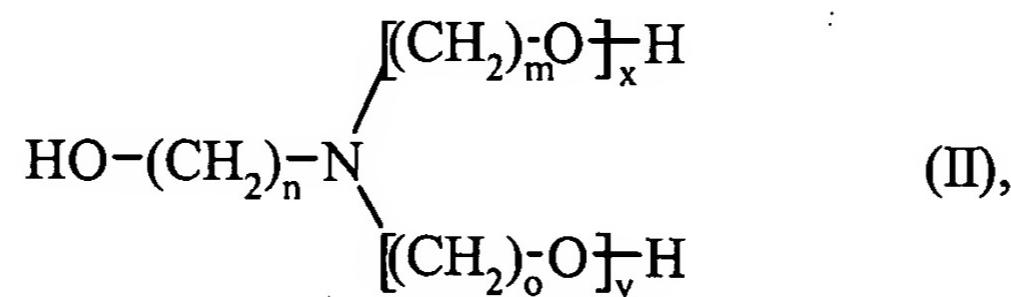
$\text{R}^3$  is  $\text{C}_{1-18}$ -alkyl or  $-[(\text{CH}_2)_2-\text{O}]_n\text{R}^6$  where  $n = 1-20$ ,

$\text{R}^4$  and  $\text{R}^5$  independently of one another are  $\text{C}_{1-4}$ -alkyl,

$\text{R}^6$  is hydrogen or unsubstituted or substituted phenyl, and

$\text{A}^-$  is a monovalent anion or one equivalent of a polyvalent anion of an inorganic or organic acid; and

- (b) at least one alkanolamine of the general formula:



where  $n$  and, if present,  $m$  and  $o$  independently of one another have the value 2 or 3, and  $x$  and  $y$  independently of one another have the value 0 or 1, or a corresponding salt;

in the mass ratio of (a) to (b) of 20:1 to 1:20.